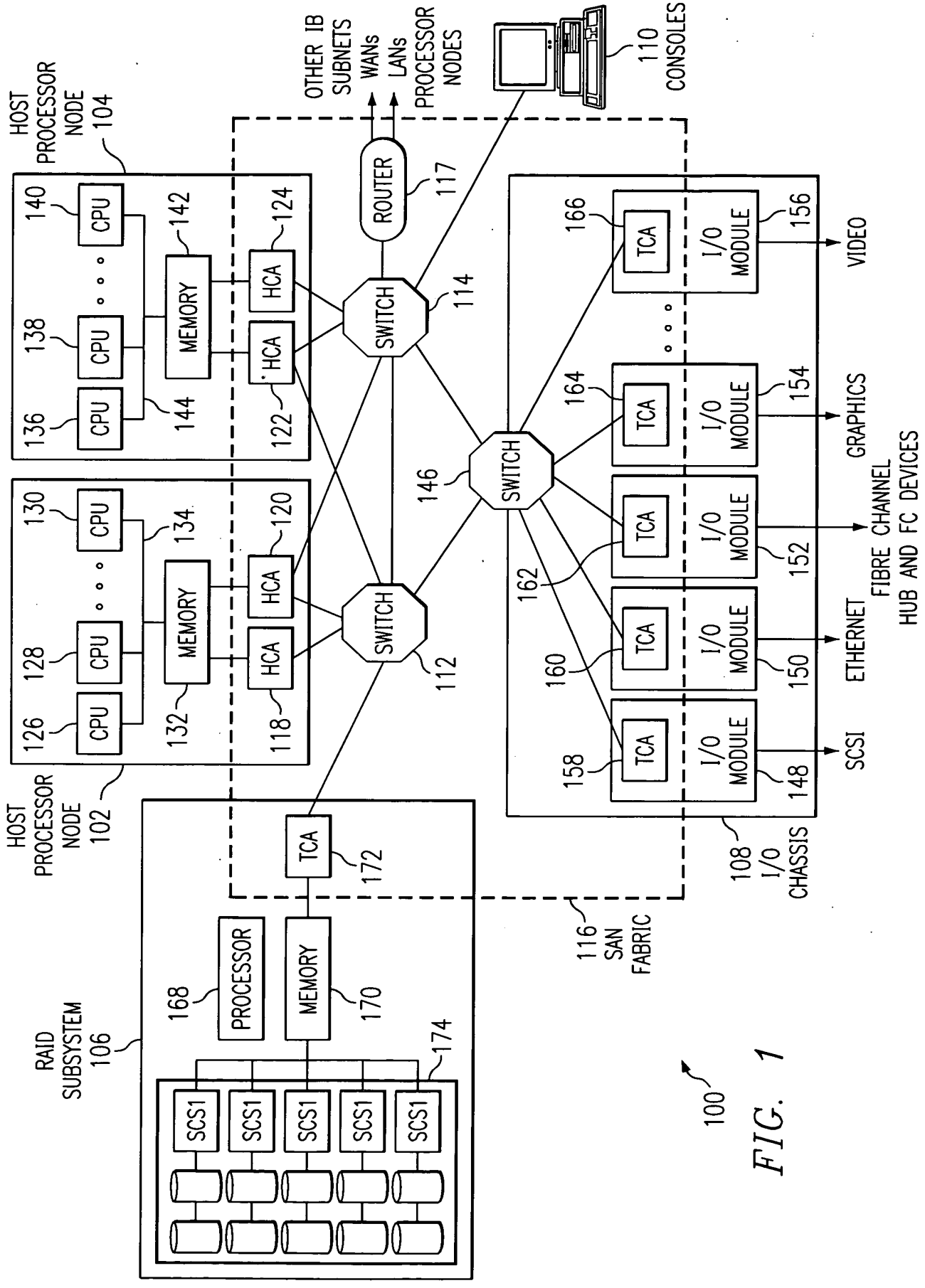
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HOST PROCESSOR NODE 102
OTHER IB SUBNETS
WANs
LANs
PROCESSOR NODES
110 CONSOLES
ROUTER 117
SWITCH 114
SWITCH 112
SWITCH 146
CPU 140
CPU 138
CPU 136
CPU 130
CPU 128
CPU 126
MEMORY 142
MEMORY 144
MEMORY 134
MEMORY 132
HCA 124
HCA 122
HCA 120
HCA 118
TCA 166
TCA 164
TCA 162
TCA 160
TCA 158
I/O MODULE 156
I/O MODULE 154
I/O MODULE 152
I/O MODULE 150
I/O MODULE 148
VIDEO
GRAPHICS
FIBRE CHANNEL HUB AND FC DEVICES
ETHERNET
SCSI
108 I/O CHASSIS
116 SAN FABRIC
TCA 172
PROCESSOR 168
MEMORY 170
174
RAID SUBSYSTEM 106
SCS1
100

FIG. 1

FIG. 2

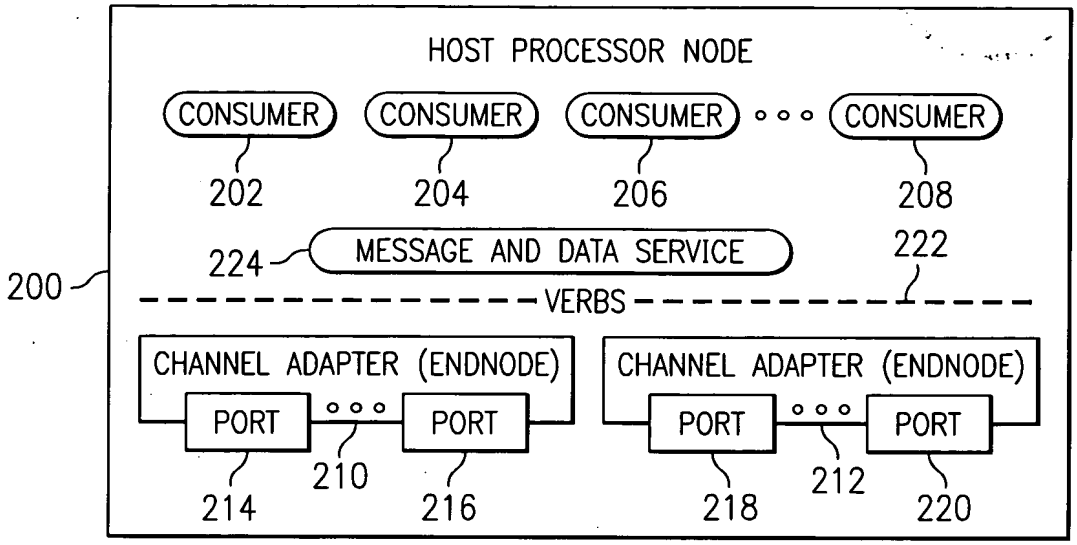
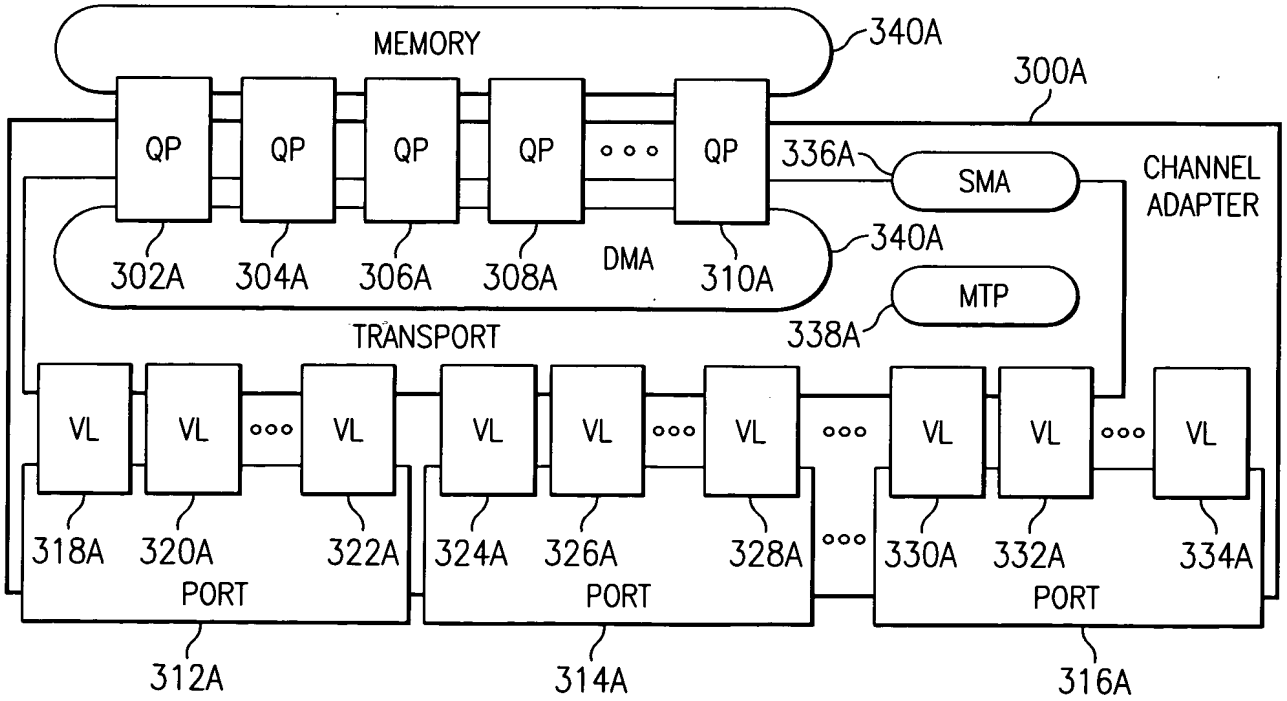

HOST PROCESSOR NODE
CONSUMER
CONSUMER
CONSUMER
CONSUMER
202
204
206
208
224
MESSAGE AND DATA SERVICE
222
200
VERBS
CHANNEL ADAPTER (ENDNODE)
PORT
PORT
210
214
216
CHANNEL ADAPTER (ENDNODE)
PORT
PORT
212
218
220

FIG. 3A


MEMORY
340A
300A
QP
QP
QP
QP
QP
336A
SMA
CHANNEL ADAPTER
302A
304A
306A
308A
DMA
310A
340A
MTP
338A
TRANSPORT
VL
VL
VL
VL
VL
VL
VL
VL
VL
318A
320A
322A
324A
326A
328A
330A
332A
334A
PORT
PORT
PORT
312A
314A
316A

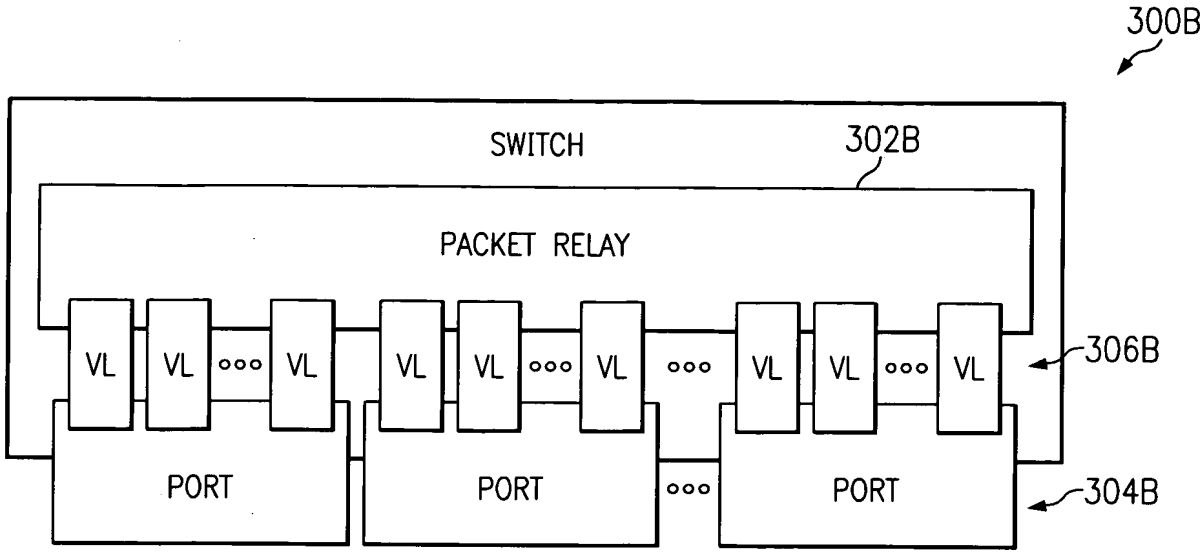

300B
SWITCH
302B
PACKET RELAY
VL
VL
VL
VL
VL
VL
VL
VL
VL
VL
306B
PORT
PORT
PORT
304B

FIG. 3B

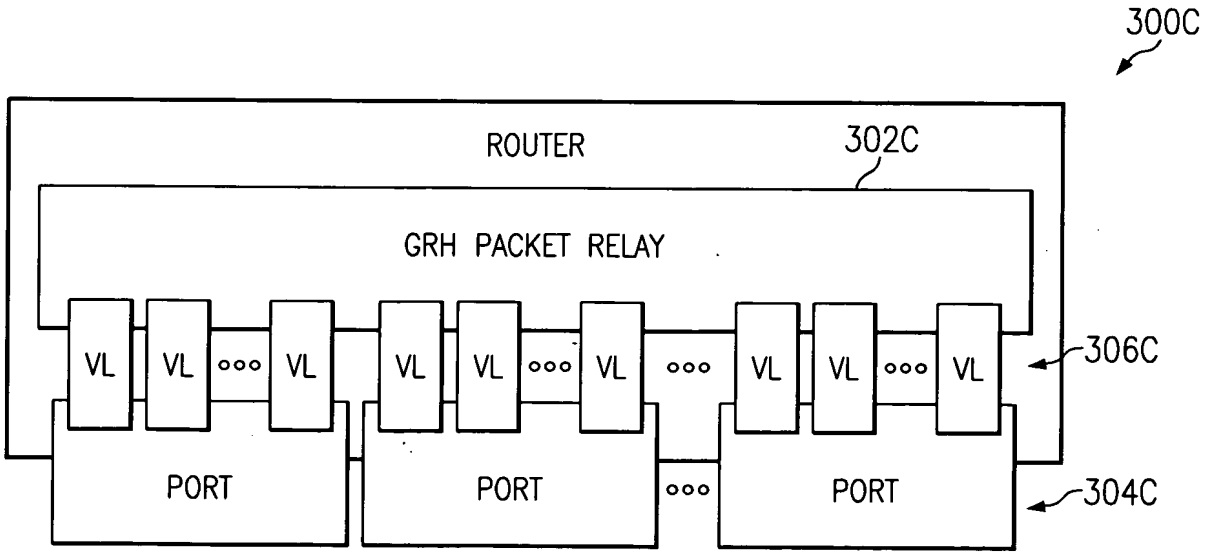

300C
ROUTER
302C
GRH PACKET RELAY
VL
VL
VL
VL
VL
VL
VL
VL
VL
VL
306C
PORT
PORT
PORT
304C

FIG. 3C

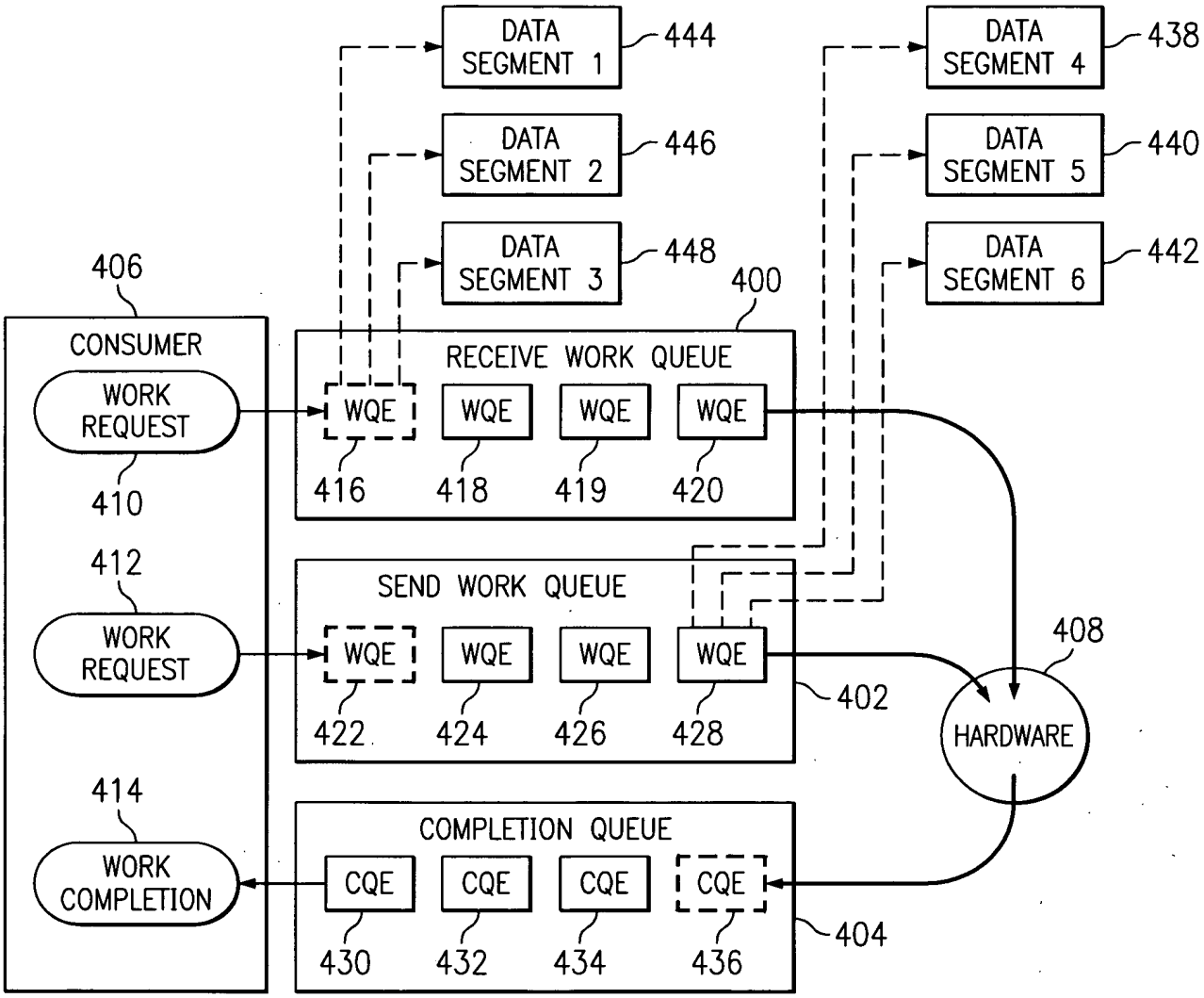

DATA SEGMENT 1
444
DATA SEGMENT 2
446
DATA SEGMENT 3
448
DATA SEGMENT 4
438
DATA SEGMENT 5
440
DATA SEGMENT 6
442
406
CONSUMER
WORK REQUEST
410
412
WORK REQUEST
414
WORK COMPLETION
400
RECEIVE WORK QUEUE
WQE
WQE
WQE
WQE
416
418
419
420
SEND WORK QUEUE
WQE
WQE
WQE
WQE
422
424
426
428
402
408
HARDWARE
COMPLETION QUEUE
CQE
CQE
CQE
CQE
430
432
434
436
404

FIG. 4

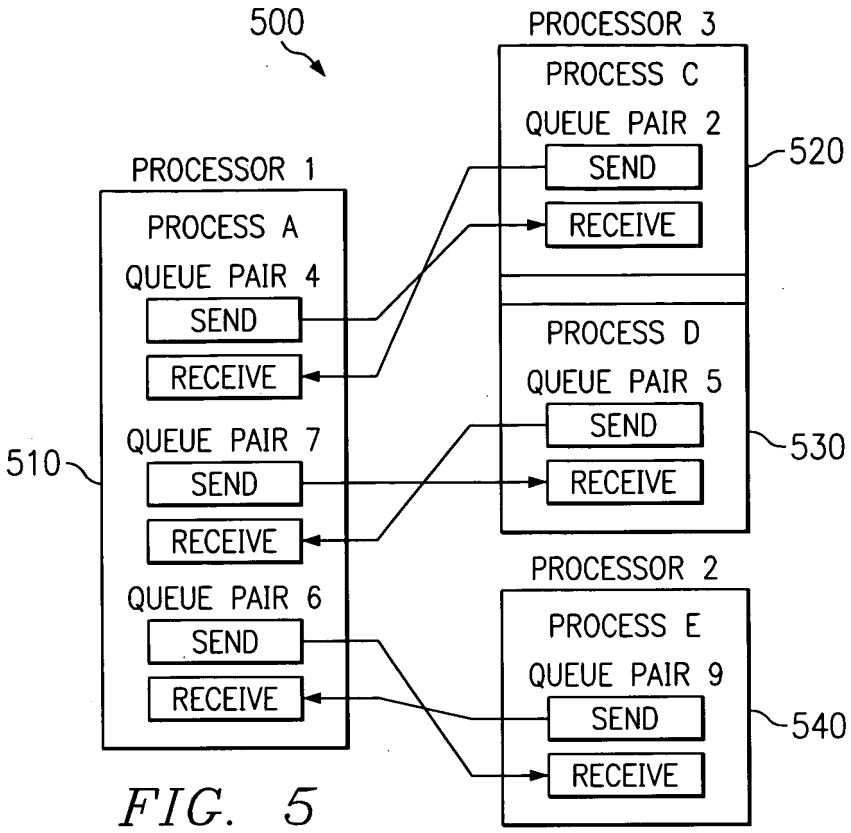

500
PROCESSOR 3
PROCESS C
QUEUE PAIR 2
SEND
RECEIVE
520
PROCESSOR 1
PROCESS A
QUEUE PAIR 4
SEND
RECEIVE
PROCESS D
QUEUE PAIR 5
SEND
RECEIVE
530
510
QUEUE PAIR 7
SEND
RECEIVE
QUEUE PAIR 6
SEND
RECEIVE
PROCESSOR 2
PROCESS E
QUEUE PAIR 9
SEND
RECEIVE
540

FIG. 5

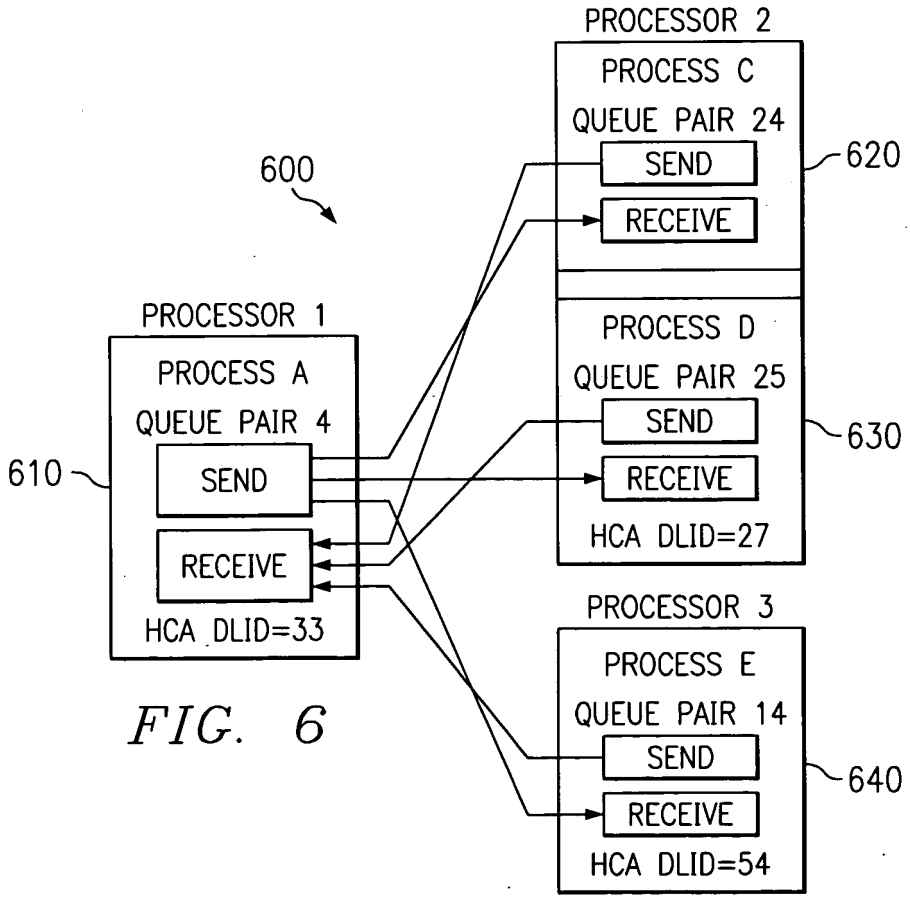

PROCESSOR 2
PROCESS C
QUEUE PAIR 24
SEND
RECEIVE
620
600
PROCESSOR 1
PROCESS A
QUEUE PAIR 4
SEND
RECEIVE
HCA DLID=33
610
PROCESS D
QUEUE PAIR 25
SEND
RECEIVE
HCA DLID=27
630
PROCESSOR 3
PROCESS E
QUEUE PAIR 14
SEND
RECEIVE
HCA DLID=54
640

FIG. 6

FIG. 7

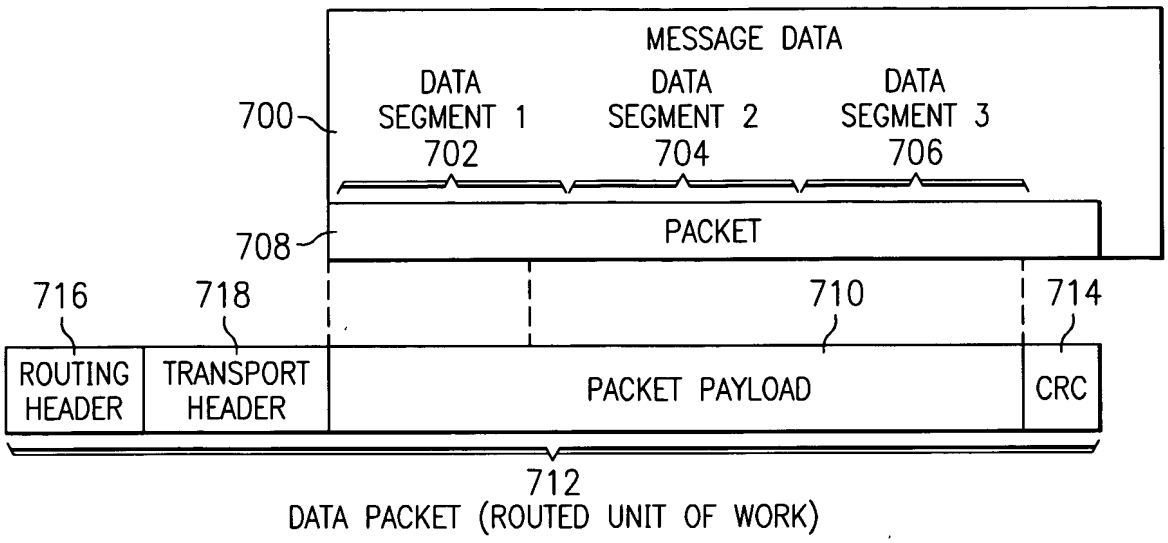

MESSAGE DATA
DATA SEGMENT 1
702
DATA SEGMENT 2
704
DATA SEGMENT 3
706
700
PACKET
708
716
718
710
714
ROUTING HEADER
TRANSPORT HEADER
PACKET PAYLOAD
CRC
712
DATA PACKET (ROUTED UNIT OF WORK)

FIG. 8

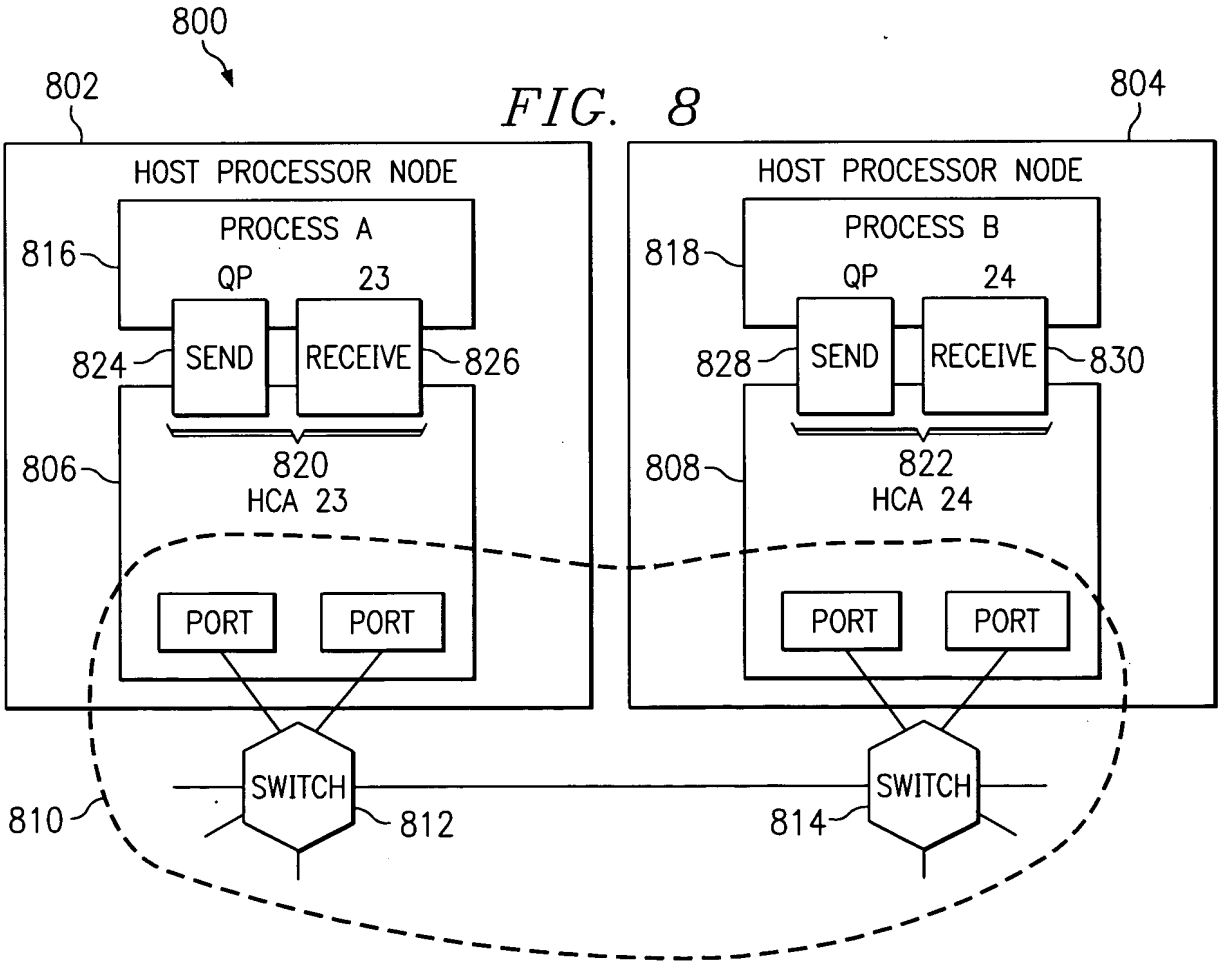
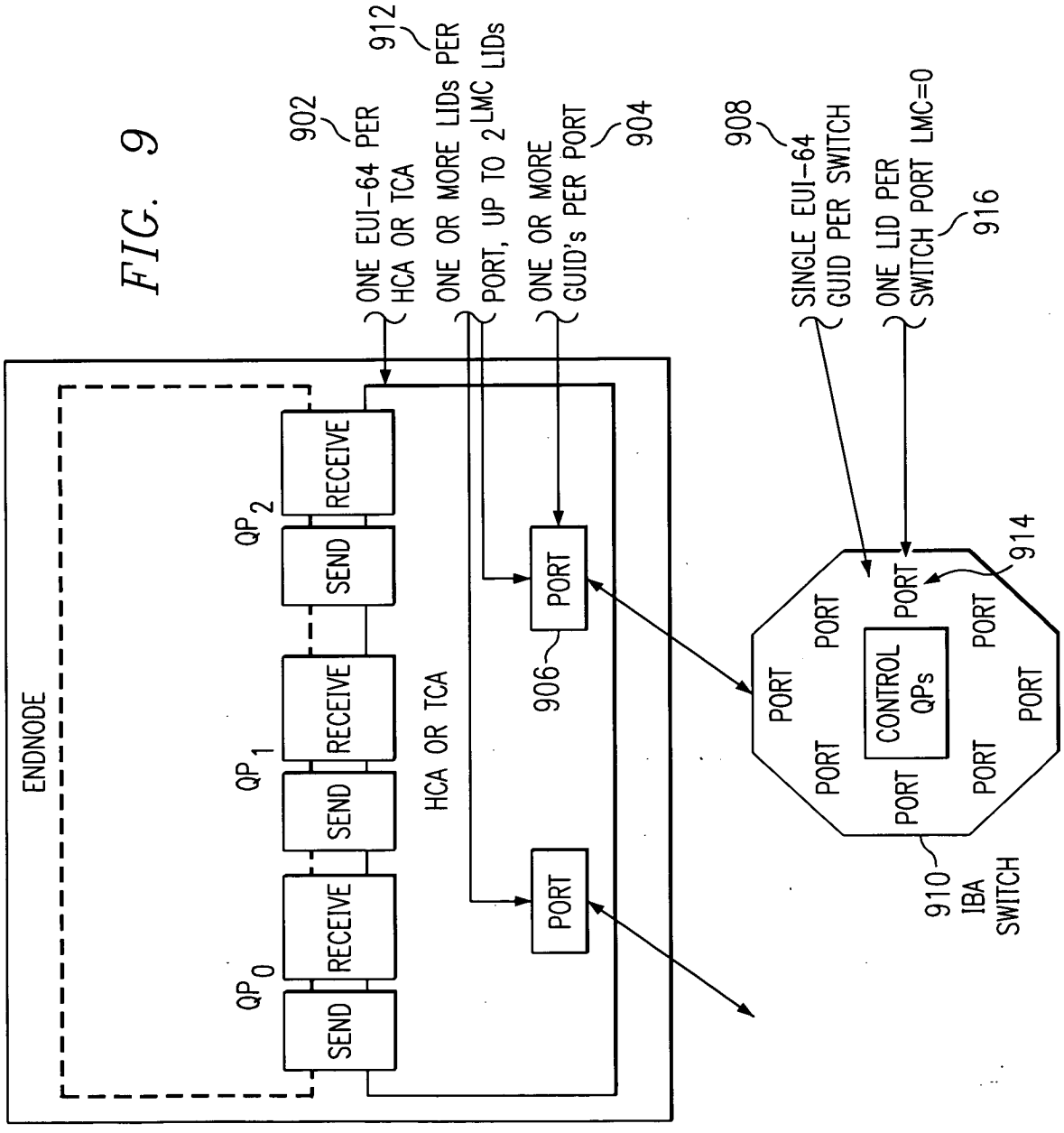

800
802
804
HOST PROCESSOR NODE
HOST PROCESSOR NODE
PROCESS A
PROCESS B
816
818
QP
23
QP
24
SEND
RECEIVE
824
826
828
830
820
HCA 23
822
HCA 24
806
808
PORT
PORT
PORT
PORT
SWITCH
SWITCH
810
812
814

FIG. 9


902
ONE EUI-64 PER HCA OR TCA
912
ONE OR MORE LIDs PER PORT, UP TO 2LMC LIDs
904
ONE OR MORE GUID's PER PORT
908
SINGLE EUI-64 GUID PER SWITCH
916
ONE LID PER SWITCH PORT LMC=0
ENDNODE
HCA OR TCA
QP0
QP1
QP2
SEND
RECEIVE
SEND
RECEIVE
SEND
RECEIVE
PORT
PORT
906
914
CONTROL QPs
PORT
910
IBA SWITCH

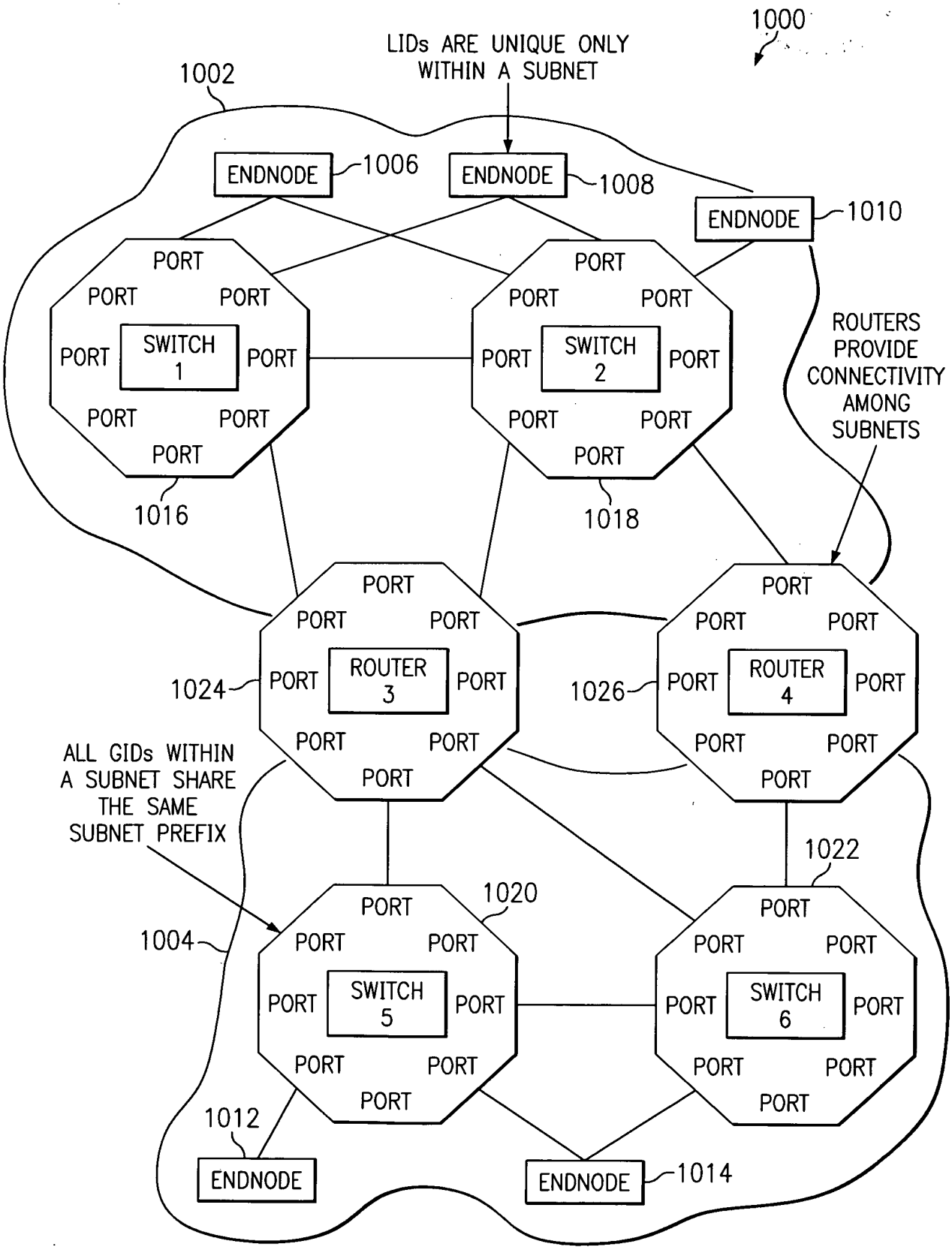

1000
LIDs ARE UNIQUE ONLY WITHIN A SUBNET
1002
ENDNODE
1006
ENDNODE
1008
ENDNODE
1010
PORT
SWITCH 1
SWITCH 2
ROUTERS PROVIDE CONNECTIVITY AMONG SUBNETS
1016
1018
ROUTER 3
ROUTER 4
1024
1026
ALL GIDs WITHIN A SUBNET SHARE THE SAME SUBNET PREFIX
1004
1020
1022
SWITCH 5
SWITCH 6
1012
1014

FIG. 10

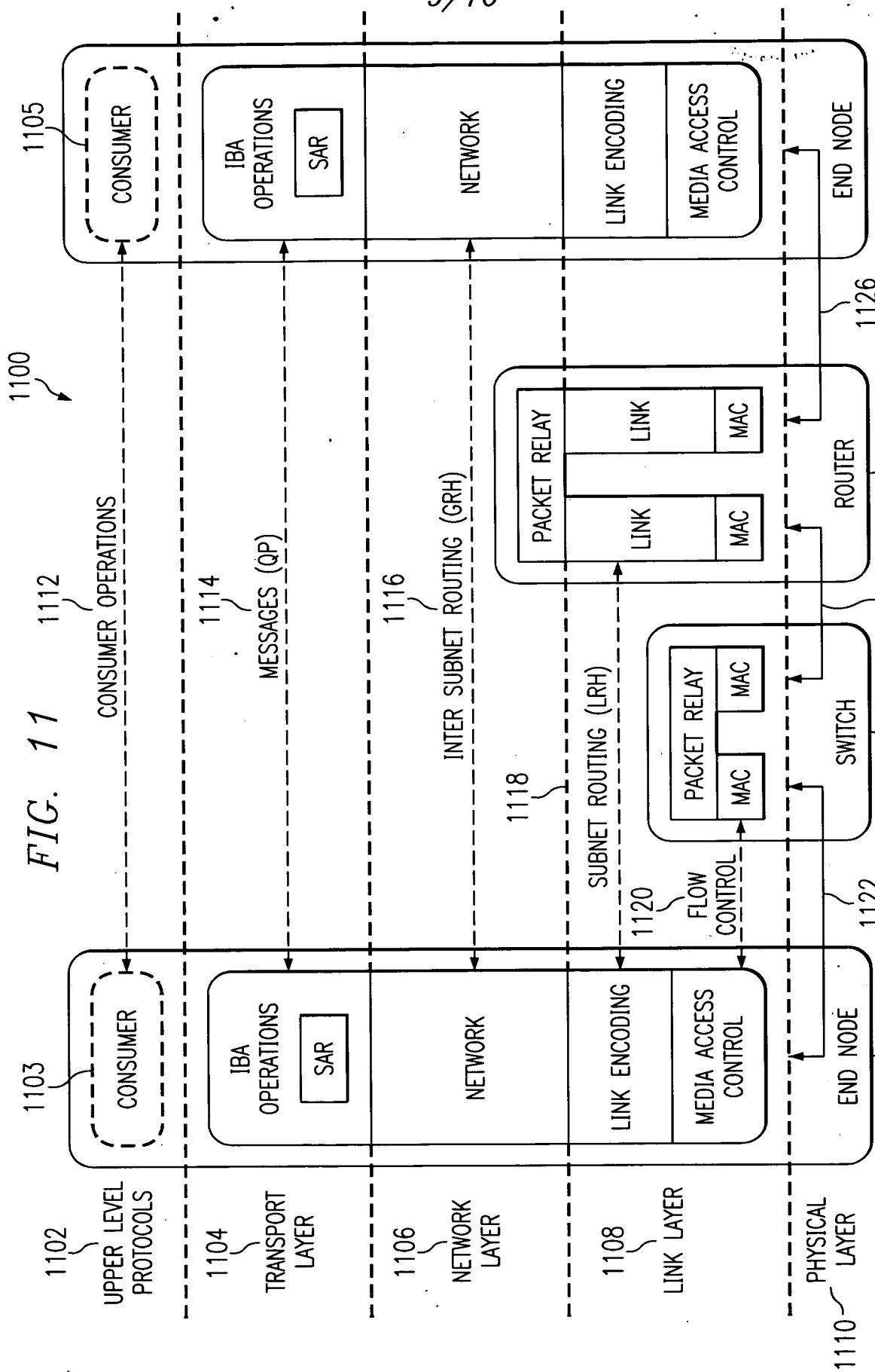

1100
1102
UPPER LEVEL PROTOCOLS
1104
TRANSPORT LAYER
1106
NETWORK LAYER
1108
LINK LAYER
1110
PHYSICAL LAYER
1103
CONSUMER
IBA OPERATIONS
SAR
NETWORK
LINK ENCODING
MEDIA ACCESS CONTROL
END NODE
1111
1105
CONSUMER
IBA OPERATIONS
SAR
NETWORK
LINK ENCODING
MEDIA ACCESS CONTROL
END NODE
1126
PACKET RELAY
LINK
MAC
LINK
MAC
ROUTER
1115
1124
PACKET RELAY
MAC
MAC
SWITCH
1113
1112
CONSUMER OPERATIONS
1114
MESSAGES (QP)
1116
INTER SUBNET ROUTING (GRH)
1118
SUBNET ROUTING (LRH)
1120
FLOW CONTROL
1122
SIGNALING

FIG. 11

FIG. 12

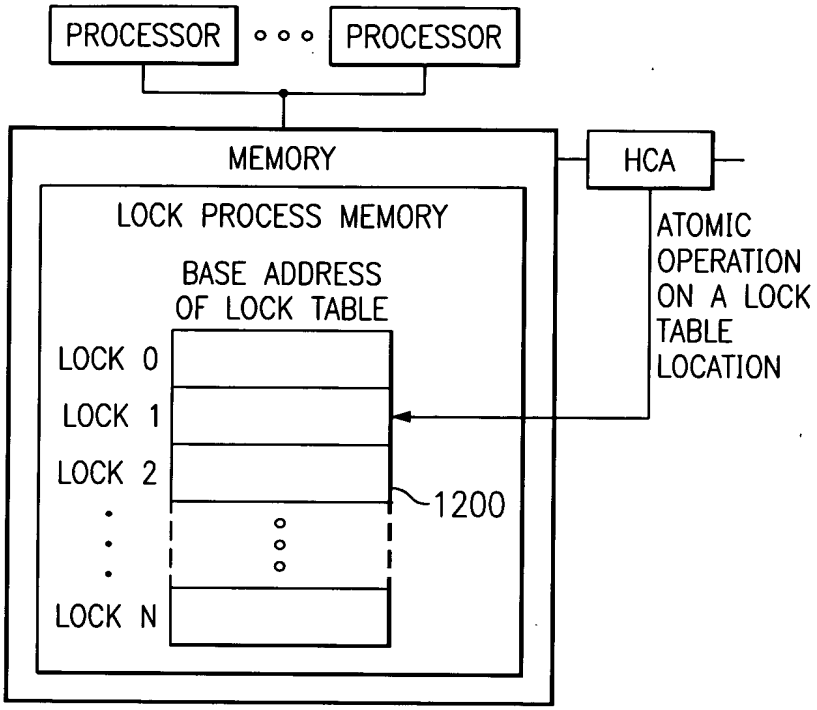


FIG. 13A

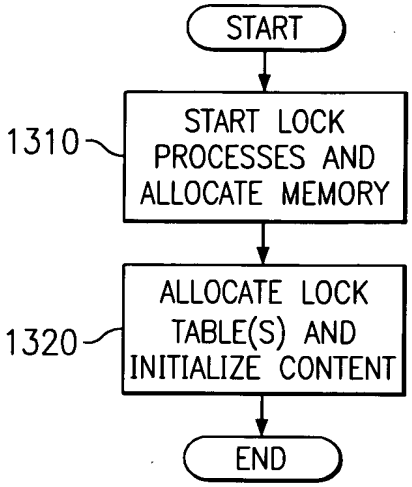


FIG. 13B

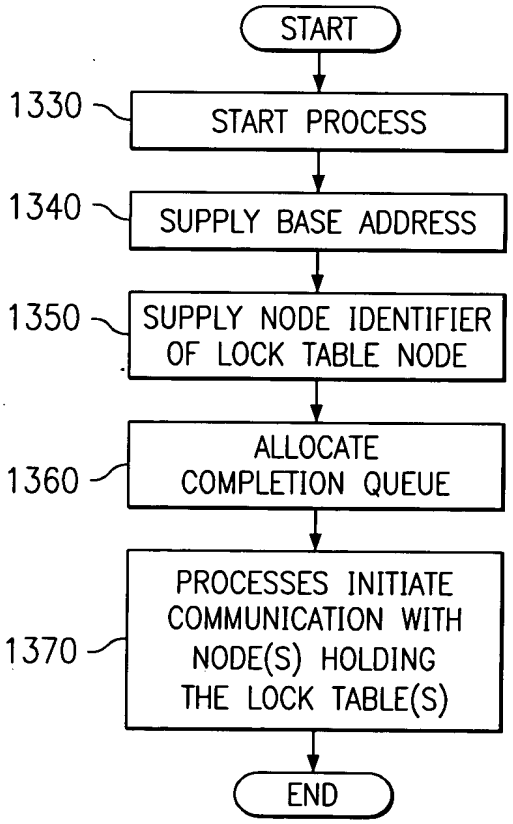


FIG. 14